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SPECIFIC VIOLATIONS UNDER THE COMMISSION'S JURISDICTION

I am reporting that a PAC did not file for the June Deadline. Foundation for a Secure & Prosperous America has spent over \$1million dollars on TV advertisements. FPSA has solicited donations from the public during the 2015 calendar year. FPSA has a Youtube channel which features several videos online. These videos represent expenditures which should have been reported to the FEC.

RESPONDENT

Name: Foundation for a Secure and Prosperous Future
Committee ID#: C90011909
Type: Independent Expenditure PAC, A 501(c)(4) Organization
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SRCPmedia, Alexandria, VA was contracted by A Foundation for a Secure and Prosperous America as a full-service advertising agency with in-house creative and media buying departments.

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DOCUMENTATION SUPPORTING THE ALLEGATIONS

Foundation for a Secure & Prosperous America has spent over \$1 million dollars on TV advertisements. This information pulled from FPSA website.

A. "Sanctions" source - <http://secureandprosperous.com/sanctions.html>

New \$1 Million Ad Campaign Highlights Rand Paul's Support for Obama's Iran Policy

Major seven-figure campaign will blanket broadcast TV & Fox News in New Hampshire, Iowa, South Carolina & Nevada this week

WASHINGTON, DC – With the Obama Administration trying to finalize a deal with Iran, the Foundation for a Secure & Prosperous America, will launch a \$1 million campaign highlighting Senator Rand Paul's support for the president's policy of concessions and appeasement. The first ad in the one-week campaign, "Sanctions," features Sen. Paul's comments that "it's crazy to think that they [Iran] are a threat to our national security," and notes that Paul has broken ranks to stand with the Obama White House in opposing any new sanctions on Iran. The ad will air extensively this week on broadcast TV, statewide cable TV, and online in New Hampshire, Iowa, South Carolina, and Nevada. It will also run in primetime on Fox News nationwide. The ad buy begins tomorrow.

"Senator Paul supports Obama's reckless negotiations with Iran, stands against new sanctions that would hold the regime accountable, and says it's crazy to think Iran is a threat to our national security. Those positions do not reflect the concerns of conservatives across the country who rightly fear the threat from a nuclear Iran and an American President that would enable their pursuit of a bomb," said Lisa Boothe, Spokesperson for the Foundation for a Secure & Prosperous America. "Americans need to speak up on these threats to our national security now more than ever, and so we are asking them to tell Senator Paul: don't trust Obama, don't trust Iran, and don't let the world's leading sponsor of terrorism get their hands on the world's most dangerous weapons."

Ad Buy Details:

Manchester Broadcast TV, New Hampshire statewide Fox News - \$170,000 running Weds-Sun

Charleston & Greenville-Spartanburg Broadcast TV & South Carolina statewide Fox News – \$180,000 running Weds-Sun

Des Moines & Sioux City Broadcast TV & Iowa statewide Fox news – \$200,000 running Weds-Sun

Las Vegas (NV) Broadcast & Nevada statewide Fox News – \$150,000 running Thurs-Sun

National Fox News & Digital Ads – \$300,000 will be spent on key Fox News shows nationwide & with online digital advertising in four states from Weds-Sun.

Note: The state TV ads will run between 80-100 times per day in each market including broadcast & cable.

B. "Consequences" source - <http://secureandprosperous.com/consequences.html>

FSPA Releases New Ad Criticizing Sen. Rand Paul & Iran Deal

Six-Figure TV and Digital Buy in Both New Hampshire & Iowa Over the Next Week

WASHINGTON — Today, the Foundation for a Secure and Prosperous America (FSPA) launched a new ad in New Hampshire and Iowa, highlighting Sen. Rand Paul's support for President Obama's diplomacy with Iran. The ad, "Consequences," highlights Sen. Paul's dangerous support of Obama's negotiations with Iran and calls on him to stop this disastrous deal. The campaign will feature six-figure buys in both Iowa and New Hampshire.

The ads will run in heavy rotation on cable and satellite TV, and online in Iowa and New Hampshire from August 7th to August 14th.

This campaign comes on the heels of a large advertising campaign in April highlighting Sen. Paul's longstanding support for President Obama's Iran policy.

"President Obama negotiated a disaster of a deal that ensures the world's foremost sponsor of terror will get the world's deadliest weapon, and Sen. Paul supported Obama and his negotiations the whole way," said FSPA President Rick Reed. "Conservatives are looking for leaders who will stand up to this president and the ayatollahs, not someone who will 'strengthen the president's hand.' We are encouraging conservatives to call Sen. Paul and tell him: stop supporting Obama, stop supporting appeasement, and stop this terrible deal."

Ad Buy Details:

New Hampshire (Boston cable TV; online ads) - Six-figures from Aug 7 - Aug 14

Iowa (Des Moines, Sioux City, and Cedar Rapids cable TV; statewide satellite TV; online ads) - Six-figures from Aug 7 - Aug 14

2. FPSA has solicited donations from the public during the 2015 calendar year.

Donations can be made online to the Foundation are through RapidDonation.com or mailed "to the attention of J. Smith at 201 N. Union St. Suite 200 Alexandria, VA 22314."

"Contributions to FSPA are not deductible as charitable contributions. There is no limit on the amount that can be contributed, and there is no public disclosure under the tax rules of the identity of donors." (source: website)

The above Alexandria address is SRCPmedia.

3. FPSA has a YouTube channel which features several videos online. These videos represent expenditures which should have been reported to the FEC.

Source: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzmVgNI_QZOzk11UsDlqVZA

"Name" (Date Published) Duration

"Dangerous" (Apr 9, 2015) 0:31

"In His Own Words" (Apr 9, 2015) 0:57

"Against Sanctions -2" (Jul 13, 2015) 0:31

"Consequences" (Aug 5, 2015) 0:31

"Tick-Tick – Snapchat" (Aug 5, 2015) 0:10

"Tick-Tick" (Aug 6, 2015) 0:31

"Sanctions" This video is no longer available due to a copyright claim by Gage Skidmore.

Sincerely,

Matthew Bernstein

VERIFICATION

I, Matthew Bernstein, hereby swear that the facts in this Complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Matt Bernstein

OCT-16-2015 Matthew Bernstein

Subscribed and sworn to me this day of 16th October, 2015 in the State of Texas.

Gretchen Hall

, Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

